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I'VE LOCKED  
ON!

TARGET  
ACQUIRED!



HIT IT!!



GO!!

THAT'S  
THE  
FIFTH  
ONE!

NEXT!



EIGHT!



SEVEN!



SIX!





I'M ON  
IT!

TERMINATING  
PSYCOMMU  
INTERFACE!

STOP THE  
BATTLE  
SIMULATION  
PROGRAM  
IMMEDIATELY!

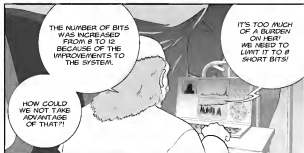




ENGIN REBECCA'S  
ABILITY TO  
CONCENTRATE  
ONLY LASTS 160  
SECONDS FROM  
THE START OF  
COMBAT!



DOCTOR,  
ANY MORE  
WOULD BE  
DANGEROUS!



THE NUMBER OF BITS  
WAS INCREASED  
FROM 8 TO 12  
BECAUSE OF THE  
IMPROVEMENTS TO  
THE SYSTEM.

HOW COULD  
WE NOT TAKE  
ADVANTAGE  
OF THAT?!

IT'S TOO MUCH  
OF A BURDEN  
ON HER!  
WE NEED TO  
LIMIT IT TO 8  
SHORT BITS!



LET'S STOP  
THE TESTING!

BECKY, I'M  
WORRIED ABOUT  
YOUR  
CONDITION!



QUIT YOUR  
BLABBERING!

STUFF IT,  
SUMIRE!



C'MON!  
HURRY!

CONTINUE  
WITH THE  
TESTS!



RIGHT!

ADMINISTER  
AN ADDITIONAL  
20ML OF  
STABILIZER D!



YOU HEARD  
IT FIRST,  
WARRANT  
OFFICER  
SUMIRE.

ENSIGN  
REBECCA  
WISHES TO  
CONTINUE  
WITH THE  
TESTING.





I'LL TAKE  
OUT ALL  
THE  
TARGETS!

THIS  
TIME...



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START THE  
COMBAT  
SIMULATION  
PROGRAM!



I'M GLAD SHE'S  
USING THE  
SYSTEM I  
DEVELOPED,  
BUT...



BECKY HAS  
NEVER USED  
THAT KIND OF  
LANGUAGE  
BEFORE...

I CAN'T  
BEAR TO  
LOOK AT  
HER!



SHE'S  
SLOWLY  
CHANGING...



AT THE  
USUAL  
MOUSSA  
CAFE...





GOING FORWARD, I  
SHALL ADDRESS  
YOU AS  
LIEUTENANT JG  
RICARDO VEGA!

AYE AYE, SIR!



YEAH,  
DADDY!!



BUT...



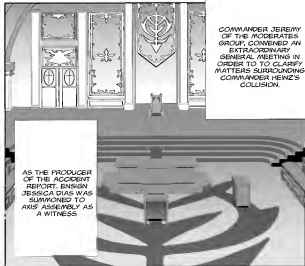
THAT'S IF  
WE MEET  
ON BASE!



BECAUSE  
YOU'RE NOT  
A SOLDIER  
WHEN YOU'RE  
HERE, EMI?







COMMANDER JEREMY  
OF THE MODERATES  
GROUP, CONVENED AN  
EXTRAORDINARY  
GENERAL MEETING IN  
ORDER TO CLARIFY  
MATTERS SURROUNDING  
COMMANDER HEINZ'S  
COLLUSION.

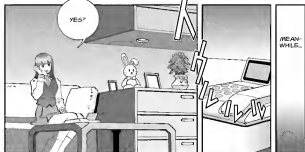
AS THE PRODUCER  
OF THE ACCIDENT  
REPORT, ENSIGN  
JESSICA DIAS WAS  
SUMMONED TO  
AXIS ASSEMBLY AS  
A WITNESS



JESSICA, I KNOW  
YOU'VE BEEN  
WANTING TO SIT IN  
ON THE GENERAL  
ASSEMBLY, BUT I'M  
SORRY THAT IT'S  
UNDER THESE  
CIRCUMSTANCES.

AXIS  
FLOOR  
ANTEROOM













I BELIEVE I MAY BE  
PUT BEFORE A  
MILITARY TRIBUNAL.

FOLLOWING MY  
TESTIMONY  
HERE TODAY...



TO GUARANTEE  
MY SAFETY.

SO I'M ASKING  
YOU HERE  
TODAY...



!?



WHAT IS  
SHE UP TO?



VERY WELL.  
I WILL SEE TO  
IT THAT YOUR  
SAFETY IS  
ENSURED.



YOU WERE INVESTIGATING THE E ROUTE WHICH DESCRIBED THE B PATTERNS OF THE COMMANDER'S NORMAL PATROL ROUTES WHEN YOU FOUND TRACES OF THE ACCIDENT,



WE CONCLUDED THAT THIS ACCIDENT DID NOT TAKE PLACE ON E ROUTE AS DESCRIBED.

WE ACTUALLY MAPPED THIS DATA ON A 3D CHART AND VERIFIED IT.





EXACTLY WHAT DO  
YOU MEAN BY  
THAT, ENSIGN  
JESSICA!



PLEASE GIVE A  
SPECIFIC  
EXPLANATION

MY SECOND OBJECTIVE  
WAS TO PUBLICIZE THE  
TRUTH BEHIND THE  
MURDER OF  
COMMANDER HENZ BY  
THE HARD LINERS!



MY FIRST  
OBJECTIVE IN  
CRAFTING THAT  
REPORT WAS TO  
EARN THE TRUST  
OF THE HARD  
LINERS.



COMMANDER HEINZ  
WAS INVESTIGATING  
THIS AND OBTAINED  
EVIDENCE OF THEIR  
ACTIONS BUT WAS  
MURDERED AT THEIR  
HANDS!

EVERYONE,  
LEND ME  
YOUR EARS!

THE ATTACK BY THE  
FEDERATION FLEET  
THAT OCCURRED ON  
THE SAME DAY AS  
LADY MINOVA'S  
IMPERIAL SUCCESSION  
IN 6081 WAS  
INTENTIONALLY  
BROUGHT ABOUT BY  
THE HARDLINERS  
UNDER CAPTAIN  
ENZO!







SHE HAS YET TO CORROBORATE HER TESTIMONY BY SHOWING US ANY SORT OF PROOF!

ALTHOUGH YOU HAVE LISTENED TO HER TESTIMONY...

THIS IS NOTHING MORE THAN HER ATTEMPT TO SLANDER ME!

THAT'S RIGHT!

PLEASE!

YOU HEARD IT STRAIGHT FROM HER MOUTH! IT'S NOTHING BUT HOGWASH! DON'T BE DECEIVED BY HER!

MR. SPEAKER!

I WAS THERE WHEN COMMANDER HEINZ WAS MURDERED!

DO YOU HAVE PROOF TO SUBSTANTIATE YOUR CLAIM, ENSIGN JESAGA?

UNFORTUNATELY I DO NOT AT THE MOMENT.





THE  
CROSS-EXAMINATION  
OF ENSIGN JESSICA  
WILL BE FORMALLY  
CARRIED OUT BY A  
MILITARY TRIBUNAL.



BECAUSE OF IT, I  
SHALL HEREBY  
CLOSE TODAY'S  
SESSION.



CAPTAIN ENZO'S  
ACTIONS ARE  
TANTAMOUNT TO  
UNDERMINING  
OUR FORCES.

IF WHAT SHE  
SAYS HOLDS  
TRUE...



IT LOOKS LIKE  
WE'LL GET  
VARIOUS  
OTHER INTEL  
FROM ENSIGN  
JESSICA.

YOU'VE DONE IT,  
COMMANDER  
JEREMY!



IF THE MESSAGE I SENT  
CAPTAIN CHAR MADE IT  
TO HIM SAFELY, THEN HE  
SHOULD HAVE MADE A  
DECISION TO RETURN.



MR. RICARDO,  
ARE YOU ABLE  
TO GET IN TOUCH  
WITH MY SISTER?



THAT WOULD  
PROBABLY BE  
QUITE DIFFICULT  
RIGHT NOW.



IT SHOULD TAKE  
THEM ABOUT  
FIVE MONTHS,  
SO PROBABLY  
ANOTHER TWO  
MONTHS BY  
NOW.



SO THEN HE'S  
ON HIS WAY  
BACK?

WHEN DO  
YOU THINK  
THEY'LL  
ARRIVE?

OH DEAR.







ABOUT THAT...



HOW HAS  
HAYAM BEEN  
FEELING  
LATELY?



I'D LIKE TO  
TALK TO  
HER ONCE  
MORE  
BEFORE WE  
ARRIVE AT  
AXIS...

SHE'S BEEN  
DOING QUITE  
WELL LATELY.  
SHE'S EVEN  
STARTING TO  
SMILE AGAIN.











THE TRUTH IS...



NATALIE...



EVER SINCE THAT DAY I RISKED MY LIFE, I'VE VOWED TO BE BY YOUR SIDE TO DO WHATEVER I CAN.



JUST REPORTING THAT WE HAVE VISUALS OF AXIS ON THE SCREEN.

GOT IT. I'LL COME UP TO THE BRIDGE NOW.



ARE YOU THERE, CAPTAIN CHAR?



WHAT IS IT, ANDY?



OF COURSE, CAPTAIN.

OUR DISCUSSION WILL HAVE TO WAIT UNTIL THE NEXT TIME WE MEET.

SORRY, NATALIE.



JUST  
THREE  
MORE  
DAYS.

IN JUST  
THREE  
MORE DAYS  
I'LL KNOW  
WHAT'S  
GOING ON  
AT AXIS.

AND MORE  
ABOUT THE  
ADVERSE  
CONSEQUENCES

WHAT ARE  
THESE  
DISTURBING  
SIGNS THAT  
ARE  
SURROUNDING  
AXIS?

I HAVE  
A BAD  
FEELING  
ABOUT  
THIS..

